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"Il Bacio."
The little kiss the waves they love,
The ripples kiss the flowers;
The willows weep from heaven above
To kiss the world of flowers;
The foaming billows kiss the beach
In wild, ungainly fashion;
The weeping willows sorrow reach
To kiss the darling passion;
The ivy kisses from its birth,
All other things dissolving;
And all things loveless on earth
Seem most engaged in kissing.
And known to be right true, love,
'Tis quite unnatural and absurd
That I should not kiss you, love.

A Pen Picture of Smallpox.

The disease is one of the most agonizing, and one of the most fatal, that flesh is heir to. In its violent form, the whole body, from the crown of the head to the soles of the feet, is covered with oozing sores, each one of which is a source of lancinating pain; sometimes the sores become confluent, and then the whole body becomes one huge sore—one shocking mass of rotteness and horror. The inner surface of the body, no less than the outer, is covered with these ulcers so that to swallow at all is like swallowing scalding water; and, perpetual swallowing follows the expectation which is needed to prevent suffocation from accumulation of excreta; frequently blood exudes from the mucous membranes of the mouth, nose, ears, eyes and bowels. The odor of the bowels is offensive beyond expression, and the filth from the discharging sores is horrible. The eyes are closed, the head is frightfully swollen, and so, indeed, is the whole body, and during part of the time, fever, with all its concomitant distress, rages. Delirium sets in, and the sufferer lingers until death ends the scene. True, every case is not marked by symptoms so utterly dreadful as those which we have attempted to describe; many die before the disease has reached these superlative stages; some die speedily from complication of other diseases; and many having the disease in a milder form recover; but every one who is wholly unprotected by vaccination, and who has the disease, is liable to all that we have tried to set forth, and if possible to more; for it is impossible for language to exaggerate the anguish, the loathsomeness and the terror of this fearful scourge. If any one thinks that we have overstated the case, he can easily correct his misapprehension by reading the standard medical books. We have only spoken of the worst cases; in its less malignant types the disease falls far short of what has been said, but in its most benign form, if wholly unchecked, it is still one of the most distressing maladies known to mankind.

It is one of the most communicable of all diseases, being both contagious and infectious, that is, it may be communicated by touching a person who has it, or by touching a garment that he has worn, or an article that he has handled, or it may be carried in the air, and thus communicated to a person who never saw nor came very near to one afflicted with it. It may come from handling paper money; it may be brought by mail in a newspaper or letter, or in a package by express; it may be caught from a fellow traveler on the railroad, or from a passer-by in the street, or from the casual visit of a friend. The germs of it will remain in bed clothing, carpets and the like for months, and perhaps for years. It respects no season of the year and no spot on the earth. It visits the tropics; it has slain its millions in Mexico; it nearly depopulated Greenland; it reaches the mountain tops, and it breaks out in mid ocean; it has no favorite localities; the whole earth is its home. Its most frightful slaughter was in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. But in those days there were no railroads and no steam, and but little commerce, no express companies, and but little mail matter, and very little travel in any way. In these days of ceaseless intercourse and perpetual running to and fro, if the disease were unchecked as it was then, its ravages would probably soon depopulate the whole civilized world; and perhaps this proposition would remain true if the word civilized were stricken out, for it is a well established fact that the dark-skinned races are much more susceptible than the white, and are also more likely to die from its effects.

"If I thought I was going to become gray I know I should die!" exclaimed Miss Springle. When she turned gray she did die, sure enough.

THE KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Editorial Introduction.

My attention has been called to an article in your issue of Feb. 17th, 1882, headed—"It costs \$50 per year to carry \$2,000 on your life in the Knights of Honor—and the thing is growing worse." Our advice to those who have not been bitten is to steer clear of all mutual insurance concerns—they are a delusion and a snare.

I am not informed as to the source of your information—but am willing to accord sincerity and honesty of purpose on your part, but that you have been imposed upon I feel sure. I am the more surprised, as your warning note comes from a city that has a Lodge of Knights of Honor, Hope, No. 19—that has paid every assessment from No. 1 to 96 inclusive, and numbers among its members some of the very best business, legal and financial talent—not only in Lincoln county, but in Kentucky. Among the number, I mention Judge Alcorn, Judge Saulley, Commonwealth's Attorney Warren, Hon. Geo. Denny, and many others I could name. Now for the record and facts:

Our Order is a Kentucky institution, chartered by the Kentucky Legislature, "Golden Lodge, No. 1," was instituted June 30th, 1873—with 17 charter members in the city of Louisville, Ky. Humble in origin, yet noble in principle, the Order has achieved a grand success in its ministrations of Love and Charity. Born in adversity, nursed in poverty, it has merged forth from its obscurity to be acknowledged everywhere, as the grandest institution of this progressive age. From one frail Lodge in 1873, it has increased to over 3,000 subordinate Lodges—and from 17 charter members it has increased to over 130,000. From Louisville where it had its birth, it has crossed streams and mountains, until to-day, it exists in every State and Territory of the United States. Nearly 3,000 graves or green mounds throughout the various portions of our country, cover our dead from mortal view. Over many of these mounds are erected monuments and tablets on which is inscribed our mystic Trio, O. M. A. and \$5,706,000 have been paid the families of our deceased brothers—and all this wonderful record has been made in a little less than nine years. Call you this "a delusion and a snare?"

Go ask the families of some of your worthy citizens who have crossed the dark river and whose mortal remains were followed to their last resting place by sympathizing brothers of the Knights of Honor, and whose families have never since been either forgotten or neglected by their surviving brothers. That this article may be as brief as possible, I will say your article was correct only so far as the rate paid by our oldest members. Over 54 years of age, \$4 on each assessment is required by our Order. That I grant would cost near \$50 per year to carry \$2,000. If such members are dissatisfied and can draw any comfort from the arrangement, let them draw out of the K. of H. and insure in one of the old line insurance companies for \$2,000 at a cost annually of \$200—with no better guarantee for his investment.

That all may know, I will here take occasion to say the Knights of Honor is no Cheap John—but that it does carry its members at bare cost, no intelligently posted man will deny. The Order never has proposed to give something of value for less than cost. Now I will sum up in conclusion: A man under 45 years old, of sound bodily health, of good moral character, a believer in a Supreme Being of the Universe—pays on each assessment, one dollar. We have a history of nine years next June. On March 19, assessment No. 96, falls due, allow three more up to June 30th, our next anniversary, we will have 99 assessments, which will fall due in July—thus we have 11 assessments per year, all told. Just a cost of \$11 per annum on assessment for a member under 45 years old, on a reliable benefit of \$2,000. Instead of \$50 we have \$11, as the record and facts will bear me out in saying.

Notwithstanding the epidemic of yellow fever in 1878 cost the Order \$500,000, this in addition to all the usual deaths from all other causes—the history made by the Knights of Honor during that terrible scourge, has challenged the admiration of the civilized world.

mentation, but a plain and simple statement of facts, that the record of the Knights of Honor have made. I am not afraid of being successfully disputed, when I say the Knights of Honor is, to-day, the largest, cheapest and best beneficiary Order in world. Respectfully, your friend and well wisher.

SAM. F. MAGUIRE, G. D.
Danville, Ky., Feb. 21, 1882.

Macaroni.
Macaroni is eaten with relish equally by all European people. But the incident which originally gave it its name is known to few of those—even in Sicily, its birth-place—who hold it in the highest esteem. Once upon a time a wealthy Palermitan noble owned a cook with an inventive genius. One day, in a rapture of culinary composition, this great artist devised the farinaceous tubes which all love so well, and the succulent accessories of rich sauce, and grated parmesan, familiar to those who have partaken of "macaroni al sugo" in southern Italy. Having filled a mighty china bowl with this delicious compound, he set it before his lord—a gourmet of the first water—and stood by, in deferential attitude, to watch the effect of his experiment. The first mouthful elicited the ejaculation "Cari!" idiomatically equivalent to "excellent" in English, from the illustrious epicure. After swallowing a second modicum, he exclaimed "Ma, cari?" or "Excellent, indeed!" Presently, as the flavor of the toothsome mess grew upon him, his enthusiasm rose, and he cried out, in a voice tremulous with joyful emotion, "Macaroni!"—"Indeed, most supremely, sublimely, and superlatively excellent!" In paying this verbal tribute to the merits of his cook's discovery, he unwittingly bestowed a name upon that admirable preparation which has stuck to it ever since.

A Joyless Childhood.
Children in the United States have generous provision made for their comfort and good cheer. In no part of the world are children better cared for. Holidays abound and schools are graded to every capacity. A new literature has grown up for their benefit, consisting of papers and books, such as were never seen before. Music is taught in the family and in the public school, and almost every boy and girl can sing.

An American lady, traveling in the East, speaks of the great contrast between children there and here. All the children she saw in Mohammedan countries seemed prematurely sober, and without a love for sports. She says: "What always impresses me more than anything else in Egypt and Palestine is the entire absence of cheerful and exhilarating music, especially from children. You never hear them sing in the huts. I never heard a song that deserves the name in the streets or houses of Jerusalem." [Youth's Companion.]

One time there was an old man who had ten children and lots of grandchildren, and one of his boys was a shoemaker, and the old man said that all the other children should buy their shoes from Bob at two dollars a pair just to encourage him and to keep the money in the family. Every day there was some outsider come knocking at the outside gate with just as good shoes a dollar a pair, but still they all had to buy from Bob, and Bob got rich off his own kinkles, and that's the way with the tariff. It is a good thing for Bob, but mighty hard on the rest of the family.—[Bill Arp.]

William Henderson, a Philadelphia thief, gave up picking pockets and began to lead an honest life. He won the love of a young school mistress; and they were engaged to marry. After all the preparations had been made for the wedding, which was to take place in a few days, a detective informed her parents of their prospective son-in-law's past career. The shock to the girl was so great that her recovery is doubtful. Henderson now accuses the detectives of blackmailing him.

A sea-serpent "about forty feet long" and with hooped head "fully six feet wide," made appearance at the ocean pier at Long Branch. It is the opinion of the intoxicated and hilarious gentlemen who saw him that he is reconnoitering with a view to making himself conspicuous in next summer's festivities.

Girls should be careful how they are vaccinated with virus taken from a lover's arm. One at St. Paul has taken to swearing, sitting cross-legged and smoking a briar-root pipe.

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JAN. T. CRAIG, Adm.

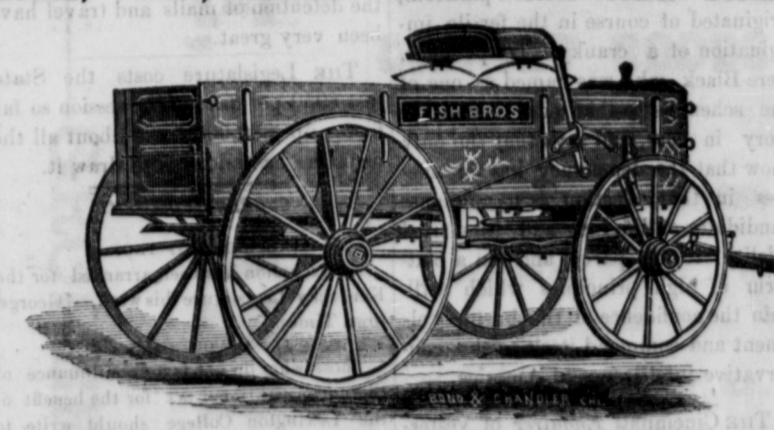
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The lunatic who holds the position of chairman of the Committee of War Claims in the House of Representatives seems to have inaugurated the rule that "no one, outside the committee shall know who compose the subcommittee to whom any claim is referred for examination, and report to their full committee." This is manifestly unjust to both committee and claimant; besides being an insidious innovation on established usage, and an assassin's stab at the emoluments of the legislator. "How can I press my claim by bringing forward the strong points, or drive a rational bargain for a favorable report unless I know with whom I have to contend? Or how can the Hon. Representative eke out his scanty pay in order to meet his necessary expenses unless he be permitted to avail himself of well established and well understood precedent, and sell his opinion and influence to 'the highest and best bidder'?" Unless this ridiculous departure is snubbed at once, the position of Representative will be no longer worth contending for. As in the office of Sheriff in some of our Kentucky counties, the district will have to vote an "appropriation" in order to induce any sane man to accept it. Public clamor on the subject respectfully solicited.

Let all good democrats remember that next Saturday week, March 4th, is primary election day, and we urge each one to go to the polls and vote for good men and true. We learn that there is a scheme on foot to put out a so called "Independent" ticket. The radicals and slipshod democrats are at the bottom of it, and the two will combine to defeat the regular and legitimate democratic ticket. We have no fear of its success, but what we want is to maintain our party strength in tact, and give all such adventurers such a whipping as will forever keep down an "Independent" ticket in the future. Nominate good men, and we can, and will do. However, in choosing from those offering for the various offices we can scarcely go wrong.

The Senate having agreed to the apportionment bill passed by the House, the ratio of the representation will be increased from 131,425 inhabitants to 151,912, which will change the number of members in twenty-five States. The North will gain 20 Representatives and loses 3, making a net gain of 17, while the South will gain 15 and lose none. If in the next presidential election the States should go as they did in the last, the democratic electoral vote would be increased 17 and the republicans 15. The electoral vote of the Union will be increased to 401 and it will require 201 to secure the presidential prize.

The preposterous story that Blaine and Vorhees had formed a combination to run as president and vice-president in 1884, on a democratic platform, originated of course in the fertile imagination of a cranky correspondent. Jere Black, who was named as one of the schemers to that end, denies the story in toto, and says that the only show that the democracy has for success in that election is to nominate candidates of life long and time tried fidelity to the party, and on a platform of high principles which will gain the confidence of the business element and commend itself to the conservative intelligence of America.

The Cincinnati Enquirer of yesterday contains an alleged statement of George Ellis, the self-convicted murderer of Gibbons' children at Ashland, in which he renounces his sworn testimony against Neal and Craft, who are under sentence of death. He claims to have first made the statement when drunk, and afterwards was afraid to deny it, lest Campbell and Heflin, who caused him to make it, would carry out their threat against his life. The story is very improbable, but there are those who believe that Craft and Neal were unjustly convicted.

JOHN HAMPTON CHAMBERLAIN, the scholarly and chivalrous co-editor of the Richmond (Va.) State, is dead after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was a warm hearted and true man and was highly esteemed by the people of his entire State. The debt-paying democracy has lost a faithful and daring champion, fitly to be spared at this critical era in the history of Virginia.

It is reported that the President and Cabinet have decided to re-instate Gen. Fitz John Porter, who was unjustly cashiered, nearly 20 years ago. If it is done his back pay will amount to \$115,000.

JOHN WYATT, the notorious moonshine hunter, who should, perhaps, have met his death long before he did, if half the reports of his shooting scrapes are true, was shot while resisting arrest in Louisville, Monday, and died in jail next day of the effects. Since Wyatt's retirement from the U. S. Marshals, he has been running a whisky shop in Louisville, and for some time past has refused to pay the city license therefor. Numerous fines had been entered against him, and a warrant for his arrest had been for several days in the hands of the officers, Tom Connell and Jesse Cunningham. They found him at the Astor House, and when they offered to arrest him, he swore they could not do it, and commenced firing at them with his pistol, which he called "Old Trusty." The officers returned the fire, and fourteen shots in all were fired before he gave up. He was shot in three places, the one in the abdomen doing the business for him. He was a bold, and said to be a very bad man, and no doubt deserved his fate. The officers can not be too highly praised for the gallant manner in which they stood up to their duty.

This dishonest decision of the Court of Appeal of Tennessee, which refuses to recognize an accepted and just compromise of the State's indebtedness, is bearing fruit in a way that the repudiators never dreamed of. The water works contractors at Knoxville, who are to be paid in the bonds of the city, alarmed at the doubtfulness of any public security in a State where the courts or the legislature can rob them of their property at any time, have suspended operations until better security can be given them. This is precisely the stand that every body who contracts with either the State or a municipality in Virginia and Tennessee should take, and the rogues at heart, who manage such affairs, would soon be convinced that honesty alone can win in the world.

THE National Apportionment bill provides that in cases where a State fails to re-district and is entitled to more representatives in Congress than she has districts already laid out, she can elect the other members to which she may be entitled from the State at large. This being the case, Col. J. Stoddard Johnston's proposition to let the districts remain as they are and elect Gen. Wolford as the eleventh member of Congress from this State, is a good one, and if the Legislature can not agree on an equitable division, they had better let the thing go by default and disperse to their homes.

SENATOR LOGAN'S bill to place Gen. Grant on the retired army list with the full pay of General, is one of the meanest attempts to raid on the Treasury, yet proposed. The country may have owed him a debt, but God knows it has more than paid it a dozen times over for anything that he could have done. Besides Grant is a very rich man and needs no such aid as that proposed.

The floods of the past week have been the heaviest since 1847, and great destruction of property and loss of life are reported along the Ohio, Mississippi and other smaller streams. Railroads have been washed out, and the detention of mails and travel have been very great.

THE Legislature costs the State just \$950 per day. The session so far costs up \$80,000, and about all the members have done is to draw it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

STRANGE IF TRUE.
No excursion has been arranged for the Kentucky Legislature this week. [Georgetown Times.]

A SUGGESTION.
Those who do not favor continuance of the unconstitutional tax for the benefit of the Lexington College should write to their representatives, and warn them against the consequences of voting for it. [Loh Post.]

CAN BEAT ANY BODY.
Barren county does not belong to us, nor have we a mortgage on any part or parcel of its reality, but we feel authorized to remark that there is no man in Kentucky who could get a bigger vote for anything he wants than Gen. Frank Wolford. [Glasgow Times.]

A UNION SOLDIER'S OPINION.
We have carefully figured up the vote for next August, between Henry and Jacobs, and our figures give Capt. Henry exactly 39,943 majority. Put this in your scrap book and when the returns are in, you will swear that we are a prophet—not inspired, if you please. [Marion in Catlettsburg Democrat.]

ROME WILL HOWL.
The people are getting tired of seeing a thousand dollars a day squandered upon the trashy local bills that are alone being ground out by their representatives, and if there isn't a change for the better, and that at a very early day, the Legislature is going to hear Rome howl in a way that it will despise. [Courier-Journal.]

LET HIM DO IT.
Governor Blackburn says he will pay out of his own pocket the expenses, about \$8,000, of the Yorktown trip, if the Legislature still continues to refuse to pay them. Let him do so and in turn he will not have paid anything like the amount of money he has recklessly remitted in fines of thieves, gamblers, etc. [Jasmine Journal.]

LEGISLATIVE.
—Senator Fogle is having a hard time with his "Liberty of Conscience bill," but it is a good one and ought to pass.
—The Legislature was sensible to know that it had taken much too many holidays already, and refused to adjourn over for Washington's birthday.

—The bill requiring railroads to build fences and cattle guards at every crossing, which has passed the Senate, would be hailed with delight by the people should it become a law.

—The Committee on State Prison reported and had passed a bill appropriating \$300 for the inclosure of the burial grounds for Penitentiary convicts, and to cause the gullies in said grounds to be filled.

—In the Senate, Mr. Blaine has had passed a bill to prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of Waynesburg, this county, and another, to prevent the sale of such liquors within one mile of Roberts Chapel, in Casey county.

—The House passed a bill to establish a graded road from Manchester, Clay county, to the most convenient point on the Lebanon Branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad in Laurel county.

—In the Senate, petitions were presented by Senator Clarke from the Blue Grass Temperance Convention, and one by Senator Blaine, signed by many ministers against the passage of the House bill punishing minors for misrepresenting their age to procure liquor.

—A bill to better secure persons who advance money on tobacco or other crops, passed the House. It provides that if any person receiving such advance, shall not make the delivery agreed on he shall be liable for the fees and charges agreed to be paid, in addition to the money or property advanced, with interest thereon, to be received by the party aggrieved.

—Senator Blaine has presented two bills for the benefit of A. M. Feland, late Sheriff of Lincoln. One is to authorize the Auditor to pay over to him any money to which he may be entitled upon properly certified vouchers given since his retirement and quietude, and the other to empower the Lincoln County Court to refund to him money paid by him as Sheriff on delinquent list.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—Snow is five feet deep in Quebec.

—The Governor of Virginia has vetoed the anti-dueling bill.

—M. Rouzard, Nielsen's husband, died on Wednesday in a Paris lunatic asylum.

—The Utah Legislature has sent a protest to Congress against the Anti-polygamy bill.

—Col. Jas. A. Ekin has been confirmed Colonel and Assistant Quartermaster General.

—By aid of the Tammany members, a republicans was elected Clerk of the N. Y. Senate.

—Scarlet fever is raging in New York city, 670 deaths having occurred from it this year.

—Louisville and Nashville R. R. Stock dropped from 86 to 67 cents in Wall Street yesterday.

—The Sprague divorce suit has been amicably settled without a trial—both parties agreeing to a decree.

—The holders of Virginia bonds intend to contest the validity of the acts passed in the settlement of the State debt.

—Senator Beck's resolution declaring that the arrears of pensions law ought to be repealed, was tabled Tuesday by a vote of 26 to 23.

—John C. New has been confirmed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and ex-Gov. Pinchback Surveyor of Customs at New Orleans.

—John D. White has presented a bill in Congress to appropriate \$25,000 for the surveying of the water-route between Beattyville and the Cumberland.

—The Newcomb Buchanan Distillery Company, of Louisville, the largest establishment of the kind in the State, has failed. Liabilities \$1,000,000, assets not stated.

—The court martial convened for the trial of Sergeant Mason, who shot at Guantanamo, has commenced proceedings at the Washington Barracks. A plea of not guilty was entered.

—The Pennsylvania Supreme Court has decided that the extra pay of legislators for services beyond the constitutional one hundred days' session is legal and must be allowed by the State.

—Another fatal accident on the Cincinnati Southern and another man killed. Engineer David Rose is the victim, and the road the loser of a number of freight cars. Fresh evidence of bad management.

—Robert Bonner, of the New York Ledger, is in Kentucky buying more fast trotters. He has secured several, among the number Escort, a full brother of Phil Thompson, bought of Smith McCann and Crit Davis, of Mercer, for \$3,000.

—A fire in the Albeon Print Works in Philadelphia, damaged the entire stock worth \$50,000, and damaged stock in the adjacent buildings to the amount of \$100,000 more. The charred body of an unknown man was found in the ruins.

—A correspondent writing to the Louisville Commercial says that there are a hundred families living in the hills of Crooked Creek and Salt River in Spencer county that have nothing to eat, their destitution having been caused by the severe drought of last summer.

—Fifty-five Veterans of the Mexican War attended the meeting at Lexington. Col. J. G. Craddock delivered the address, which is published in full in the Courier-Journal of yesterday. Those who attended from this county were Hugh Logan, G. D. Sautley and J. C. Davis.

—Last week Hon. Richard Key, our Representative, paid over \$80 to our county authorities, that being the amount of two weeks' salary during the recess of the Legislature. Thus far he has been the only one who has not pocketed and kept the salary grant. [Madisonville Times.]

—The Rev. Mills, a Unitarian preacher of Chicago, has renounced his religion and become an Atheist. He denies the value of prayer and the immortality of the soul. He is evidently seeking more notoriety than he can get as a preacher, and is longing after such honors as are accorded to Gen. Grant.

—The District Grand Jury has indicted twelve persons for conspiracy in the Star Route cases, among them ex-assistant P. M. General T. J. Brady, ex-Senator S. W. Dorsey, his brother, J. W. Dorsey and J. W. Peck, brother-in-law of ex-Senator Dorsey.

—About forty-eight millions of dollars was spent last year in the construction of buildings in New York, the exact sum being \$47,784,670. Never before was the building trade in the city so active, and never before was so much money put in new erections during a single year.

CASEY COUNTY.

Liberty.
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—A special telegram to the Courier-Journal from Paint Lick one day this week said the Hon. Z. T. Cook, of Reedville, had killed a man. We are glad to say that this is all a mistake; it all grew out of the fact that Mr. Cook had left home on account of some family troubles. We understand that Mr. Cook's family relations have not been of the best character for some time.

—So far as is perceptible, the McHenry movement has not struck this county yet, and when it does, if ever, it will amount to no more than an autumn breeze—it will only take the chaff; even the republicans who follow the Louisville Commercial do not sanction the movement, and should there be no regular republican candidate the gallant Tom Henry will get about all the votes in this county, and by the way, a nicer or cleverer man than Thomas Henry is not to be found every day, in any county.

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—THE Misses Collier, of Louisville, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Henry C. Jones, at McKinney, returned to their home on Wednesday, much pleased with their visit.

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IMPORTED GERMAN KRAUT, Pickled Pige Feet, &c., at McAllister & Bright's.

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S. M. HONEY is now ready to repair gear and harness in the best manner and cheap. Shop at Baughman's Livery Stable.

GRAND DICTIONARY, F. E. MANNING, of Danville, gives us some interesting facts about the Knights of Honor, on our first page.

PARTIES needing corn can be supplied at Lincoln Mills at any time with any amount from a bushel to 100 barrels, from \$4 to \$4.25 per barrel.

A PARTY in honor of Misses Mollie and Annie Burdett, of Lancaster, was given at Mr. A. D. Root's, Monday night, which Mr. B. G. Gover, our informant, says was a very elegant affair. The supper was particularly fine.

COL. W. G. WELCH, Administrator of John Shanks, will set his personality at his late residence 33 miles from Crab Orchard to-morrow. As will be seen by the advertisement in another column, this is the largest sale of the season.

A PERSON indebted to the late Dr. S. P. Craig, must settle their accounts before the 2nd Monday in March, (Quarterly Court), else they will be placed in the hands of an officer. Persons having claims against him will present them by that day properly attested. [Jas. T. Craig, Adm'r.]

MINSTRELS.—The Big 15 have reorganized and are nightly practicing for a grand Minstrel and Variety performance to be given at the Opera House here on Saturday night, March 4th. Judging from the programme, it will eclipse even their former great success. Full particulars in next issue.

GONE.—From a Minor, the man who shot John Ferrill, has lit out, at least, Deputy Carpenter, who went to arrest him failed to discover his whereabouts. If the authorities in that end of the county had have done their duty, he could have been caught easily, as we learn he did not leave till Saturday. Ferrill is still alive, though very low. His doctors disagree as to whether he will recover not.

A SNEAK THIEF entered the house of Mr. F. J. Anthony, the other night, while Mrs. Anthony and the young ladies were out calling, and took \$6 and some cents from her trunk besides some other little things. She had left the doors open, and this should be a warning to the other ladies of town never to be guilty of such carelessness. Thieves are as thick here as fidlers are supposed to be in the warm climate of the other world, and are always on the lookout for such chances.

RISK TO NIGHT.

A CHOICE lot of both straight and Patent flour at McAllister & Bright's.

THERE was a sudden change in the weather Tuesday, since which it has been clear and decidedly cold.

THOSE who look on the dark side of things say all the fruit buds have been killed during the present cold snap.

THE Big 15 are coming again, and don't you forget it. March 4th. Grand street parade in afternoon. Performance at 8.

MR. W. J. DAUGHERTY is announced in this issue as a candidate for Coroner. He is a good democrat and a worthy man, and will no doubt receive the full strength of the party.

SAVE COST.—Our business must be settled up before the Quarterly Court in March. We do not want to warrant any body, but we must have our money. McAllister & Lytle.

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THE ladies of the Presbyterian Sewing Society have an order from Independence, Mo., for a dozen housekeeper's aprons. The excellent work done by the society seems to have given them a fame confined to no pent-up Utica.

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TWELVE.—Should Ferrill and the little negro Charley White die, as they no doubt will, they will make twelve persons murdered within ten miles of this place in the short space of one month. Our people have gotten so accustomed to hearing of murders that they do not realize the enormity of the crime, but we intend to keep these facts before them and the world until they do awaken to a just contemplation of the terrible record.

PROBABLY ANOTHER MURDER.—Even the little negroes have caught the murderous contagion. Tuesday, Jim Tall, a little brat of 10 or 12 years, cut a hole in the skull of Charley White, son of Prescher White, of the colored Methodist church. His story is that Charley and another boy threatened to kill him, and advanced on him with rocks in their hands, when he cut him. He must have done so too with all his strength, for he buried the blade of the knife to the hilt just above the ear from which the brains oozed. Dr. Bronaugh was called, examined the wound, and would have trephined it had not the father of the boy objected, fearing that he would die while the operation was being performed. As soon as he committed the deed he threw the knife away and took to his heels, but he was captured in a field near town and lodged in jail, from which he will be brought this morning for trial.

MARRIAGES.

—P. McCune and Miss Elizabeth Kinsley, of this county, were married in Danville last Sunday.

—On the 23d, at the residence of Aaa Peyton, W. N. Atwood and Miss Sarah F. Peyton, a damsel of sweet 16, were united in marriage.

—HALE—VAUGHAN.—Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. George Vaughan, Mr. Will A. Hall and Miss Allie Vaughan were made one by Elder Jos. Ballou, in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives. After the ceremony they repaired to Mr. J. M. Hall's where an informal reception was given them, and where a supper fit for the gods was spread. The young couple is to be congratulated on their union, which can but prove happy, for he is sober, industrious and kind, while she is gifted not only with beauty, but with all the gentle graces of a lovable woman.

—WAKEFIELD—WRAY.—Yesterday afternoon, at Pink Cottage, the residence of Mr. Jas. M. Wray, Mr. Milton L. Wakefield, of Bloomington, Ill., and Miss Kate Wray, of this county, were married by Rev. S. S. McRoberts. After the ceremony which occurred at five, the few friends present joined the new pair in a very nice supper, over which many good wishes for their future welfare were expressed. Mr. Wakefield is said to be a very successful business man of good habits, and Miss Kate, who is one of the best of women, has probably found a partner worthy of her. They will leave for Bloomington next Tuesday.

RELIGIOUS.

—Bishop Wightman, of the Southern Methodist church, died a few days ago.

—MR. BARNES has made a good start in Bowling Green, some 15 having confessed to Wednesday.

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LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—EGGS have fallen to 15 cents, but butter holds at 25 to 30.

—FOR SALE.—10 or 15 springers and 1 bull. B. G. Gover, Stanford.

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—B. G. Gover bought in Pulaski 10 cattle at \$30 per head, and 7 calves at \$10.

—Chicago is 340,000 behind on the number of hogs slaughtered this season as compared with last.

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—Corn sold at Fielding Thurmond's sale at \$4.50 in the crib, the highest price yet reached in this county. It is only \$3.50 in Louisville.

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—Owing to the bad day, which kept away many bidders, the sale of John W. Pennington, was declared off, after an ineffectual attempt to sell the land. Four milk cows were sold at prices ranging from \$21.00 to \$39; Horses at \$90 to \$101; and a lot of thoroughbred Cotswold sheep at \$8.05.

—GEORGETOWN COURT.—Nearly 1,000 cattle on the market, mostly of an inferior quality, and many left over un sold. Nothing extra was offered. Prices ranging from 34 to 44 cents, according to quality. From 50 to 75 mules were offered, and sold well. Broke stock averaged \$120 per head. A large number of plug horses were offered, and sold at from \$25 to \$75.

—At Mt. Sterling, Monday, there were 200 cattle on the market, which sold at 24 to 25 cents. Ozen ranged from \$60 to \$100 per pair; 2 and 3-year-old steers, 3 to 4 cents per pound; yearlings, 24 to 34 cents; Lacy & Sons, of Morgan county, sold 76 head of cattle. Of these there were 17 oxen of which brought from \$75 to \$100, or 34 to 40 cents; the remainder were 2 and 3-year-olds, which averaged 34 cents. Mules sold at \$70 to \$125.

—In Cincinnati stock is quoted as follows: Cattle.—the demand continues and good ones are short of the wants of the trade. Common, \$2.25 to \$3.50; good to choice butchers, \$4.75 to \$5.50; fair to choice, \$5 to \$6.25; common to choice oxen, \$2.50 to \$5.25; feeding steers, \$4.50 to \$5.25. Hogs are firm and strong at \$7.15 to \$7.50 for selected butchers and heavy shippers; fair to good packers, \$6.65 to \$7.00; common, \$5.50 to \$6.25. Sheep are scarce and in strong demand at 34 to 6 cents.

—A dispatch from Fargo, Dakota, says: The parlor cattle car, owned in Cincinnati, arrived here this evening with a load of twenty head of cattle, on a trial trip from St. Paul. The cattle were in the car for forty-three hours, and are in excellent condition. The trip is made under the inspection of a number of shippers and railroad men, who are well pleased with the result. Mr. J. S. Hughes, of this place, is one of the directors of the Cattle Parlor Car Company, and is delighted over his prospects for a fortune.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Crab Orchard.

—Those would-be young men on the corner Sunday night need not have hissed like geese while the people were going to church, for they are well known now as geese or green goings rather.

—The concert to-night will no doubt be a success. The hour draws near, and still not even a hint has been given us of a complimentary ticket; however, we still have hope. These reporters do expect too much, don't they?

—Mr. James Laughton and family, of this place, have returned to East Liverpool, Ohio, from whence they came a few months since. Miss Kate and Fannie Logan, of Garrard county, are with their sister, Mrs. Robinson, of this place. Tom Carson, a son of Hance Carson, is quite ill with pneumonia. Prof. O. P. Moore is in Lexington on business. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moss are visiting relations near Danville.

Kings Mountain Tunnel.

—Mumps are raging here at present. Sam Cary is the latest victim.

—J. S. Pennybaker's hotel is nearly completed. T. L. Shelton has his machinery up and is turning out about 4,000 heading daily, regardless of the weather.

—It is reported that Rev. W. T. Tyree, will hold a meeting here at an early date. The reports of his success at Double Springs causes our hotel proprietors to rather fear the result.

—John Gallinger and his fascinating wife are at Moore's Hotel. Dr. O. S. Lambert and bride have moved to C. F. McDonald's house, the latter locating at Grove City, in Cuyahoga county. Mrs. Geo. Ball, who has been very low with fever is slowly recovering.

—It is reported that a number of gamblers from Casey left here the other day, with several hundred dollars won from our citizens. How much better it would be if they would invest their money in improving the town, instead of putting it in "chuck luck banks."

Highland.

—Born, to the wife of Wm. McCutley, a few days ago, a girl.

—Dr. Barber is getting out a lot of walnut logs to ship to Cincinnati.

—One day last week L. Atkins went to the yard fence of F. Rogers and told him he had to come and go with him to a neighbor's house. Rogers seeing that Atkins had a gun turned and started into the house, when Atkins jumped over the fence and ran towards Rogers with his gun pointed at him. Mrs. Rogers stepped in between them, and Atkins turned and went out of the yard. Rogers had Atkins arrested and he was tried before M. S. Bustin, and fined \$20 and costs.

—Uncle Jimmy Vandever still visits our community. He seems to have very important business on hand. Mrs. Eliza Young, of College Hill, Ky., paid her farewell visit to her children and relatives at this place last week. Miss Eliza Young, daughter of J. S. Young, has returned to her home at College Hill last week; we know some of the boys will miss her. John Denson and Mr. Saunders, of Adair county, are visiting the family of Mrs. Nancy Denson.

Hustonsville.

—A South wind with decidedly Northern principles gave us all a thorough chill on the 21st.

—The boys are informed that Ide Austin has returned from the Lone Star State. His report indicates that he was doing well there; but, like most Kentuckians, he is

hard to wean. Ide would rather ride a fox chase over the hills of Lincoln than own a cattle ranch in Texas.

—As this is the time when the voice of the candidate is heard in the land, I will venture a word of valuable counsel. As you hope for election, gentlemen, avoid taking any man by the arm in pressing your claims. In this event the vaccine virus flies to the head and makes a man renounce his most valued friend.

—We have a rumor that J. W. Hocker, of Moreland Station, one of the most attentive and efficient agents on the C. S. Road, has tendered his resignation. The alleged cause is a misunderstanding with the authorities. It is hoped the matter may yet be adjusted. The road can not doubt find multitudes capable to do their work; but just such men as Hocker are—as bookmen would say—going rapidly out of print.

—I must congratulate my young friend, Master Eddie Walton, on his success in the "Tournament." All right, Eddie. Although in a land of strangers, the meritorious will find a generous sympathy. May the promise foreshadowed in this boyish contest be ever realized in the great tournament of life. Brace well your armor for the strife. Let no stain of dishonor ever tarnish its brightness; and as you lay your lance in rest, breathe the name of "mother" and strike for victory.

—The great law-question mooted now, is that of ownership, where one man's fencing is stranded on another man's land. The law, I believe, is explicit; but then rail-timber is rather scarce. Hence the matter becomes exciting at times. Men do not see exactly alike; and in their zeal for justice literally "go where angels fear to travel."

I have known one or two cases where some of our best men have done toward their neighbors what the Archangel did not dare to do to the Devil—I, e. they brought against them "a railing accusation."

PULASKI COUNTY.

Eubanks Station.

—Ora E., a little daughter of W. R. Gooch, Sr., is suffering intensely from an affection of the mouth and throat. Mrs. W. F. Camden has been confined to her bed for nearly three weeks; disease not known. Louis Gooch is recovering from a temporary illness. Lee Richardson has not eat or slept for the last twelve days and nights, during which time he has suffered the most intense pain from a slight cut on his thumb, in which he has unfortunately caught cold.

—Thieves have broken through and stolen from M. F. Padgett about 23 pieces of bacon, being about one-half of nine good sized hogs. These considerable gentlemen (?) also divided Mr. Padgett's stock of bread corn, leaving him something near half the pile. L. G. Gooch is also minus a two bushel bag of shelled corn, has thrown in, carried from his barn recently. E. S. Gooch complains of a like offense, while J. T. Curtis wonders who got his meat. Most of these thefts occurred while the owners of the stolen property were absent from home attending the meeting at Double Springs. A close lookout is now kept for the perpetrators, and we hope e'er long, to have the privilege of advising the public of the arrest and conviction of these scoundrels.

—The revival has closed at Double Springs with 125 additions to the church; this being the exact number the Lord was asked to give. The prayer of faith was answered, and now a large number of souls are happy in a Savior's love, and this neighborhood seems to have undergone a thorough reformation. Saturday being the regular church meeting, a covenant was entered into by the brethren "not to manufacture or countenance the use as a beverage of alcoholic drinks." Reva Tyree and Taylor baptized 79 converts during the meeting, and that ordinance is yet to be administered to about 12 others. This will be done at Cuba next Friday. Bro. Tyree left for his home Monday morning. If not hindered he will return Friday or Saturday, and contemplates giving a meeting at Oak Grove Sunday. This church is two miles east of Reynolds Station on the C. S. R. R. A young men's prayer meeting will be held at Double Springs on Wednesday night, when arrangements will be made for the permanent organization of this society. PRAISE THE LORD for such organizations.

WAYNE COUNTY.

Monticello.

—Mr. G. C. Duncan returns from Georgia, ill of fever; he is still very sick, tho' his symptoms are more favorable than a few days ago.

—The heavy rains of last week caused the creek and river to get on another big high, which has occurred unpleasantly often this winter.

—Shelly, a little son of A. J. Hayden's, while running with a stick in his hand, fell in such a way that the stick penetrated the palm of the hand to the depth of two or more inches. In attempting to remove it it was broken off, leaving an inch that had to be removed by an operation.

—George Gibson, a laborer at W. T. Francis & Co.'s Steam Saw Mill at Point Burnside, was caught in the machinery and brought in contact with the saw while in motion on the 16th inst. He was so injured that he died in a few hours. He leaves a helpless family consisting of a weakly wife and five children.

—Mr. James D. Oatts is buying a car load of mules for the Southern market. He bought 7 head of J. R. Ingram at an average of \$103. Coby Oatts bought a mule of Math. Sloan for \$75. B. F. Oatts bought a harness horse of Marshall Haffaker for \$100. Flour has declined in this market to \$3.75 per cwt. Corn brings \$1.00 per bushel.

GARRARD COUNTY.

Lancaster.

—The L. H. C. gave another hop Wednesday night, with its usual success.

—The high wind of Monday night blew the smoke stack of the Planing Mill down.

—The damage suit of Wm. Sellers vs. Boston Dillion for knocking him in the head with a stick some time ago, comes off in the U. S. Court at Louisville, March 2nd. Several witnesses were summoned here Tuesday.

—Many of our citizens have been afraid to attend entertainments at the Hall on account of its reported unsafe condition. A committee was appointed to examine into it and reported it perfectly secure.

—Married, Feb. 23d, Mr. Howard Hardin to Miss E. D. West, sister of our obliging and efficient County Clerk.....On the same date, in the upper end of the county, Mr. J. N. Vanhook to Miss Nannie Green.....Same date, by Elder Jesse Walden, at his residence, Mr. Jno. A. Proctor to Miss Fannie McGinnis, all of this county.

—W. M. Kerby, auctioneer, reports the following sale of B. F. Hudson's property, Feb. 21st: 8 yearling mules, \$51 each; 1 5-year-old mule, \$135; cows (springers), \$45 to \$50; 1 yearling heifer, \$26; 2 steer calves, \$25 each; shoats, \$4 to \$6.75 per head; corn, \$4.50 per barrel in crib; wheat at \$1.50 to \$1.78 per bushel; bacon, 14c hog round; lard, 15c per pound; poultry (chicks), \$2.50 per dozen; agricultural implements sold proportionately high.

—Misses Jennie Richards and Corrie Cooper, of Stanford, are visiting the Misses Marksbury, Shack, Hoffman is helping them.....W. A. Burnside left Tuesday on a business trip through the mountains.....Capt. Thos. Peacock was taken suddenly and dangerously ill on the street Tuesday. He was assisted to his house where he is resting easier this (Wednesday) morning. The nature of his sickness is unknown.....Miss Lillie Price is visiting in Danville.....Miss Jennie Lackey has returned from a six months visit to Missouri, accompanied by her brother, Goodloe Lackey, who is in business in Kansas City.

Card of Thanks.

Please allow me through your paper to extend to Drs. J. F. Peyton and G. W. Bronaugh and to Judge J. A. Lytle, T. T. Davies and his excellent wife, and other citizens of Stanford, my most heartfelt thanks for their kindness during my prolonged illness from a very dangerous disease. I shall never cease to remember them, and wish them all the good that the world affords. W. B. Wray, McKinney, Feb. 23, 1882.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. J. DAUGHERTY

Is a candidate for COBURNER, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Important to those Concerned.

All persons indebted to the estate of John Shanks, dead, by note or account, will please call upon me at once and settle. Otherwise, suit will be brought to the first Court.

W. G. WELCH, Adm'r.

J. T. HARRIS,

Who keeps—

The Meat and Provision Store,

Has for sale from \$500 to \$400 worth of Hotel Furniture, consisting of Tables, Dishes, Bedsteads, Lamps, Stoves, &c. Those wishing to buy can see him at his place of business on Main street, Stanford, Ky.

ANNOUNCEMENT!!

I, the celebrated Jack Columbus, occupying the stables of Mr. Feland Hlat, near Crab Orchard, during the past year, and having put four hundred and eighty dollars in his pocket during the year, and having no further business to occupy my mind or attract my attention or divert my leisure hours at Crab Orchard, have been sold and transferred by my owner to Mr. Will Anderson, of Garrard, and having taken a sorrowful leave of my past joys, I now resign my stable, saddle, custom and good will of my patrons to my distinguished successor, Stonewall Jackson, now in the possession of my former owner, Mr. Feland Hlat, Stonewall Jackson is a thoroughbred horse all round; dark, blackburn whip. This superb specimen of the equine race is a perfect model of beauty, of elegant form, and black as the wing of midnight, glossy, lusty man and loud, flowing tail, with which the occasional sephyr delight to toy. With his pedigree, form and power, I have no doubt he will cause a coalition of glory around an admiring set. He has an eye like the eagle, the grace of the gazelle, the swiftness of the rocket, the courage of the lion, the strength of the buffalo, and every other great and noble quality that can elevate a horse to the summit of equine fame. But it is useless to expatiate upon his merits, for if I had the language of Jobbitt's General Van Dorn, I could not do justice to this proud descendant of the Arabian tent. Hoping that you will call and see for yourselves.

I now bid you adieu, and pasture new. And go to search of joys and pastures new.

COLUMBUS.

MINSTRELS!

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Every Feature New and Original!

COMMERCIAL HOTEL,

—STANFORD, KY.—

G. M. NUNNELLY, PROPRIETOR.

I have taken this Hotel in charge, and propose keeping it first-class in every particular. Transient board, \$1 per day. Men on public days, 25 cents. [19-1m]

PUBLIC SALE.

Having sold my farm, I will on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1882, sell to the highest bidder one pair of heavy Mules, 4 or 5 head of Horses, 3 yearling Males, 1 or 2 Cows, a lot of Shoats, 1 common Reeper and Mower, 1 Grain Drill, 1 Buggy, as good as new, 1 good 4-horse Wagon and Harness, all my Household and Kitchen Furniture. Terms made known on day of sale.

W. T. GREEN, Crab Orchard, Ky.

A Chance for a Bargain.

—I wish to sell my tract of Knob Land—

CONTAINING 100 ACRES!

Situated about 4 miles South of Stanford, and known as the old "Poor-House Farm." It has on it two small buildings, contained by a porch, in which a small family can live comfortably; an excellent Spring near the building; about 500 young Apple Trees of select fruit, many of which are now bearing; and a quantity of good Timber, such as poplar, oak, chestnut, &c.

J. BLAIN.

Stanford, Ky., February 17, 1882.

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BRUCE, WARREN & CO.,

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NEW FIRM!

HALE & NUNNELLY,

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Offer Special Inducements!

IN THE FOLLOWING GOODS:

SUGAR & COFFEE

AT ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES.

CANNED GOODS

Chewing Gum.

Forty thousand dollars' worth of chewing gum is gathered in the State of Maine every year. In Oxford county is a man who makes it his business to collect spruce gum. Every year he buys from seven to nine tons. The gum is found chiefly in the region about Umbagog Lake and about the Rangely lakes. A number of men do nothing else in the winter season except collect gum. With snowshoes, ax, and a sheboygan, on which is packed the gum, they spend days and nights in the woods. The clear pure lumps of gum are sold in their native state, the best bringing one dollar per pound. Gum not immediately marketable is refined by a peculiar process. Saw-like boxes are covered with spruce boughs, on which is placed the gum. Steam is introduced underneath. The gum is melted, is strained by the boughs, and then passes into warm water, where it is kept from hardening until the packer takes it out, draws into sticks, and wraps it in tissue paper, when it is ready for market.

The gum meets with a ready sale. There is not a village, town, or city in Maine where it is not in demand. One dealer last year sold fourteen hundred dollars' worth. In large mill cities gum has a free sale. In Biddeford, Lewiston, Lawrence, and Lowell, the factory girls consume large quantities. It is said that in the lumber camps gum is used as a means of extending hospitality. After meal time the host fills his own black clay pipe, and hands it to his guest. Later, clear lumps of spruce gum are placed before the visitor, and he is asked to take a chew.

The Reindeer.

The reindeer, which in one way or another manages to be almost the entire support of the Lapps, who have large herds, is a large, heavy animal, with remarkable independence of character. He will not accept shelter under cover, no matter how inclement the weather may be. Neither will he eat any food that is offered; he prefers to seek his own sustenance, which consists principally of a peculiar moss, and as this grows very slowly, requiring about seven years in which to reach maturity, the Lapp must shift his home from time to time to meet the necessities of his herd. In mid-winter the moss may be covered by several feet of snow, but the deer digs a hole with his feet, and disappears through the snow as he follows his nose from one tuft of moss to another. The flesh of the reindeer is quite palatable and nutritious, his skin makes very warm garments as well as durable harness, and cheese made of reindeer milk is very rich, although the quantity of milk yielded per day seems scarcely worth the taking, as it amounts to a mere teaspoonful.

A PRIZE EFFUSION.—Editor Ramsdell, of the "Washington Republican," offered \$5 for the best written letter accepting an offer of marriage. George Nelson pocketed the half eagle by this effusion: My Dear Donald:—Fresh with the breath of the morning came your loving missive. I have turned over every leaf of my heart during the day, and on each page I find the same written, namely, gratitude for the love of a noble man, humility to find myself its object, and ambition to render myself worthy of that which you offer. I will try, Yours henceforth. —[Rochester Express.]

A personal item says that Christine Nilsson has been visiting a country house belonging to Queen Isabella, where she shot a quantity of pheasants "in the Royal preserves." And they deserved to be shot, too, for getting into the Royal preserves. A woman in Hainesville last week nearly broke her son's back with a broomstick for getting into her preserves. Christine visited the Queen's country house at an opportune moment but no doubt some of the Royal preserves will have to be thrown out. —[Norristown Herald.]

Constable Davis, of Summersfield, Ill., deserted his wife for no other reason than that she had lost the beauty which had distinguished her as a girl. The young men in the town concluded to tar and feather him and ride him on a rail. Tar was lacking at the last moment and molasses was used instead; but the mobbing proved highly satisfactory to all concerned, except the constable.

A correspondent of the Country Gentleman says a persistent practice of planting only the middle grains of the ear of corn, rejecting the ends, will result in establishing a core that will mature without grains on the end.

"Breeding-off" Horns.

The question of "breeding-off" the horns of native cattle is receiving attention, and there are many who claim that it "can be done." Horns on neat cattle are a relic of barbarism, so to speak. They are not only a useless appendage, but positively objectionable. Not only do cattle do one another injury in a yard or stable, but they have many a time, by their horns, caused the death of, or disabled, other animals. Timid people are mortally afraid of cattle with horns, but pass by the "mules" without fear. In their wild state cattle had undoubted need of their horns, but domesticated, there are no ferocious animals to attack them. Nature appears to be doing gradually and unaided that which a little artificial help would accelerate, as comparison between the spreading and long horns of the Texas steer, and the short ones of the blooded cow indicates. It is suggested that horns may be bred-off by searing them when the calves are young. Every body knows that dogs and cats have been bred without tails, yet analogy might signify nothing, as sheep, whose tails are cut close when they are lambs, continue, after many generations, to raise lambs whose tails, in turn, would be long, if they were not cut. But a family of Ayreshire cattle, bred in Scotland, originally had their ears clipped from year to year to denote ownership. In time the calves began to be born with the end of the ear wanting, and now the peculiarity is fixed.

A Danger Signal.

The other morning, as the express train to San Jose was slamming along past San Mateo, with both valves wide open, the figure of a man was seen waving a red shirt about half a mile up the track. The engine was reversed, brakes were whistled down, and with a tremendous effort the train was stopped just as it reached the man.

"What's the matter?" shouted the conductor, running forward.

"Is this the lightning express to San Jose?" asked the stranger earnestly.

"Yes, yes, of course it is," said the ticket puncher, while the passengers crowded up with white faces.

"That's right," said the man pocketing his flannel and bracing up for a grand break. "Always tell the truth, and people will respect you."

And before the engineer could even seize a hunk of coal, he had a hundred yards start to windward, with a fresh breeze on his weather beam. —[San Francisco Post.]

A dispatch from Buenos Ayres dated January 24th says that particulars have been received there of a massacre of the inhabitants of Pisco by Peruvian soldiers. Colonel Mas, with six hundred troops from Ica, attacked Villavicencio, routed him, and with the aid of his men, proceeded to sack Pisco. A thousand pipes of wine were distributed among the men, who burned houses and murdered the inhabitants. Four hundred foreigners who attempted to resist were cut to pieces, three hundred being killed, including the French Consul. The total number of victims was one thousand. It is said that Colonel Mas has since been shot by Garcia Carlonia's troops.

The day a party refuses to take hold of a new issue it begins to die. Tariff revision and reduction is right in itself, independent of all former questions. There is no reason why our tariff should not be reduced to the old Whig standard, and a hundred reasons why it should be. The revenue is too large, the tariff oppressive, and it is unjust to this section. Now, and right now, is the best time to discuss it and draw the Republican party on to better ground. —[Terre Haute (Ind.) Tribune.]

A Sandy Valley husband, after an absence of sixteen years, returns to find his love in the arms of her second love. The wife refuses to leave her second love, pleading the statute of limitation. He agrees to let her go, takes his children, which have grown up during his absence and leaves for his home in the far West.

The total annual consumption of quinine throughout the world is given at 220,000 pounds, of which one-quarter is used in the United States alone. In 1880 we imported 500,000 ounces of quinine and 32,000 bales of cinchona. In 1881 the importations were one quarter larger.

New fashions for ladies were set in the last century by dressing dolls in prevailing mode and distributing them over Europe. The custom is believed to date from Venice, where the Government rigorously regulated dress by means of a doll set up as a pattern.

We see by the San Antonio papers that the butchers have raised a club. If their tenderloin steaks are as tough as they used to be they might use the club to advantage on them. —[Texas Sittings.]

Consolidating the Lines.

Two young and aspiring railroad men who were placed on the retired list, owing to the consolidation of Gould's Southwestern roads, on one of which they had been employed, recently discussed the tendency towards consolidating the principal railway lines in the country, and the hardships resulting therefrom to young and aspiring railroad men like themselves, who were thrown out of employment and prevented from earning a fair living. During their conversation they expressed themselves rather emphatically and in language that shocked the feelings of a missionary who was sitting close by listening to the remarks. He stood it as long as he could, but finally he lost his patience and walked up to the two young railroad men and reprimanded them for using such profane language.

"You ought to know," he said in conclusion, "that there are but two roads, one leading to hell and damnation and the other to joy and salvation; now which would you rather take?"

"Well," replied one of the railroad men, after getting over his surprise at being thus addressed, "I don't think I'll take either, for it is ten to one that the two roads will fall into the hands of Gould and be consolidated before I get there."

The missionary made no further effort to convert the heathen, and left disgusted. —[Chicago Times.]

When.

The clock struck eleven. Myrtle and Billy were standing in the hallway, her arms twined about him in the ecstasy of love.

"And you will love me always, Billy?" Myrtle said softly.

"Yes, my precious one, forever and ever."

"And when shall we be married?" came in low, dulcet tones from the girl, as her head nestled confidingly above his liver-pate.

Now was Colonel Billy's longed-for opportunity. Two years before, Myrtle had laughed a merry, heartless laugh when he had seated himself in a pie at a picnic. Drawing himself up proudly, he said, while a lemon-like smile flitted over his clear-cut features:

"Yes, I will marry you, Myrtle."

"But when?" pleaded the girl.

"When the Washington monument is completed," he answered, and with a hollow, mocking laugh, he fled into the darkness, leaving her in the front hall, alone and desolate. —[Chicago Times.]

Hanging baskets require frequent watering, to accomplish which, with due regard for the carpet beneath, they must commonly be taken down from their perches, and then suspended elsewhere to dry. This trouble may be avoided by a simple and inexpensive device. Fill a bottle with water, into which insert the ends of two pieces of yarn, permitting the other end of each piece to hang down outside the bottle. The bottle should be suspended just above the basket and the water allowed to drip, which will follow in sufficient quantities to keep the earth moist.

CHARGING THE JURY.—In a country place in North Carolina sometime after the war, they elected as justice of the peace an old white-haired negro, ignorant, but honest and well liked. After the pleading was over, the counsel informed his honor that he could charge the jury.

"Hm," charged the jury.

"Yes, your honor."

"Wal, gentlemen ob de jury, it pears de case am trow, an' I got to close it with the charge. Considerin' de 'perience you hab got, I think I will charge you two dollar an' haf piece."

A New York minister's troupe announces that ambulances will be provided to carry away those who become exhausted by laughter. The inference is that the troupe has purchased a joke of recent origin, but up to the hour of going to press an ambulance had not been called into requisition. —[Norristown Herald.]

A member of a fashionable congregation called at the music store and inquired: "Have you the notes of a piece called the 'Song of Solomon'?" adding, "Our pastor referred to it yesterday as an exquisite gem, and my wife would like to learn to play it."

A large dry goods firm of Boston proposes to its employees that each shall contribute \$10 in weekly assessments of 50 cents, toward treating one out of every twenty-five of their number to a trip to Europe next summer; luck to decide who shall go.

Attendants on the sick should frequently rub a few drops of Darby's Prophylactic Fluid on their face and hands, especially when nursing those with infectious diseases. Articles used on or about the sick should be disinfected and the atmosphere of the sick room purified and vitalized by using the Fluid. Its effect is marvelous in checking the spread of contagious diseases.

Flinging.

Young girls who are in the habit of flinging with whomsoever they meet should read the following, which we take from one of our exchanges: "The hinges of hell are greased with flirtation. Hell's half-way house, the house of prostitution, opens wide its doors at the sight of a waving pocket-handkerchief or the drop of a glove. Can there be such a thing as innocent flirtation? Is not a flirtation itself essentially wanton and prone to evil? Where is the young woman who can indiscriminately pick up a beau on the public highway without degrading herself and proclaiming a reckless disregard for rules of society, which is the first step to ruin? Chastity is the jewel of a woman's character, which is essential to all other female virtues, and she can only retain it by chastity of action and thought. The moment that she advertises to the public that her acquaintance is public property, she becomes a practical free lover. The least diversion from the strict path of propriety and decorum is dangerous. People do not generally go to crime by leaps; they go gradually and imperceptibly. Young ladies should remember that no worthy young man will encourage a flirtation with even the foolish young lady who recklessly throws herself away."

A clergyman who enjoys the substantial benefits of a fine farm was slightly taken down by his Irish plowman, who was sitting at his plow in a tobacco field, resting his horse. The reverend gentleman, being a great economist, said, with much seriousness: "Patrick, wouldn't it be a good plan for you to have a stub-aythe here, and be hubbing a few bushes along the fence while the horse is resting?" Pat, with quite as serious a countenance as the divine wore himself, replied: "Sir, wouldn't it be well for you to have a tub of potatoes in the pulpit, and when the congregation are singing, to peel 'em while to be ready for the pot?" The reverend gentleman laughed heartily and left.

Three young fellows took it into their heads to dance at the grave of a friend at Lawrenceville, Ill., and one of them fell into it. Their conduct shocked the mourners, who drove them away, and subsequently prepared to lynch them. They fled hastily, making their way down the river 14 miles in a leaky boat, which finally sank under them. They swam to the shore, but it was a cold night. They were too exhausted to go any further, and in the morning their dead bodies were found.

There are now about three hundred and sixty-five thousand cases before the Pension Commission for adjudication. The present force at work just about turns out the same number of cases as come in. So, basing the estimate on the present force at the Pension Bureau, the work is seven years behind.

Her mistake: "Why do you suppose Rev. Johnson Reed is always driving over to Smithville?" asked one Austin gentleman of another. "His wife says he goes over to admire the beauty of the place," was the reply. "Yes, but does his wife know the beauty of the place is a young widow?"

People here can not enjoy sleighing; but if they are ambitious they can sit in a yard on a cold morning, with strings of bells around their necks, and their feet in a tub of ice water. This comes nearest to sleigh-riding, and is without fear of accident.

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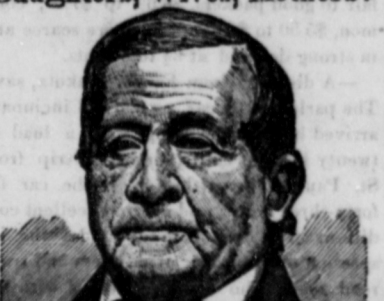
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